

# Contemporary Worship – 9:00 am

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Faith Presbyterian Church

## Call to Worship – Psalm 86:12-13, 15 (NIV)

I will praise you, O Lord my God, with all my heart; I will glorify your name forever. For great is your love toward me; you have delivered me from the depths of the grave. You, O Lord, are a compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness.

## Grace Alone

Dustin Kensrue

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I was an orphan lost at the fall, running away when I'd hear your call  
But Father, you worked your will  
I had no righteousness of my own, I had no right to draw near your throne  
But Father, you loved me still

*And in love before you laid the world's foundation  
You predestined to adopt me as your own  
You have raised me up so high above my station  
I'm a child of God by grace and grace alone*

You left your home to seek out the lost, You knew the great and terrible cost  
But Jesus, your face was set  
I worked my fingers down to the bone, nothing I did could ever atone  
But Jesus, you paid my debt

*By your blood I have redemption and salvation  
Lord, you died that I might reap what you have sown  
And you rose that I might be a new creation  
I am born again by grace and grace alone*

[Bridge]

I was in darkness all of my life, I never knew the day from the night  
But Spirit, you made me see  
I swore I knew the way on my own, head full of rocks, a heart made of stone  
But Spirit, you moved in me

*At your touch my sleeping spirit was awakened  
On my darkened heart the light of Christ has shone  
Called into a kingdom that cannot be shaken  
Heaven's citizen by grace and grace alone*

So I'll stand in faith by grace and grace alone  
I will run the race by grace and grace alone  
I will slay my sin by grace and grace alone  
I will reach the end by grace and grace alone

## **Battle Belongs**

**Brian Johnson/Phil Wickham**

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When all I see is the battle, You see my victory  
When all I see is a mountain, You see a mountain moved  
And as I walk through the shadow, Your love surrounds me  
There's nothing to fear now, for I am safe with You

*So when I fight I'll fight on my knees with my hands lifted high  
O God the battle belongs to You  
And every fear I lay at Your feet, I'll sing through the night  
O God, the battle belongs to You*

And if You are for me, who can be against me?  
For Jesus there's nothing impossible for You  
When all I see are the ashes, You see the beauty  
When all I see is a cross, God You see the empty tomb

[Bridge]

(An) Almighty Fortress, You go before us  
Nothing can stand against the power of our God  
You shine in the shadows, You win every battle  
Nothing can stand against the power of our God

O God, the battle belongs to You

## Confession of Faith – Heidelberg 1

*The Heidelberg Catechism was published in 1563 and is the most influential and the most generally accepted of the several catechisms of Reformation times.*

*What is your only comfort in life and death?*

That I, with body and soul, both in life and in death,  
am not my own, but belong to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ,  
who with his precious blood has fully satisfied for all my sins,  
and redeemed me from all the power of the devil;  
and so preserves me that without the will of my Father in heaven  
not a hair can fall from my head;  
indeed, that all things must work together for my salvation. Therefore, by his  
Holy Spirit, he also assures me of eternal life,  
and makes me heartily willing and ready from now on to live for him.

**Holy Forever**

**Chris Tomlin**

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A thousand generations falling down in worship  
To sing the song of ages to the Lamb  
And all who've gone before us  
And all who will believe  
Will sing the song of ages to the Lamb

[Pre-Chorus]

(Jesus) Your name is the highest  
Your name is the greatest  
Your name stands above them all  
All thrones and dominions  
All powers and positions  
Your name stands above them all

*And the angels cry Holy, All creation cries Holy  
You are lifted high Holy, Holy forever*

If you've been forgiven and if you've been redeemed

Sing the song forever to the Lamb  
If you walk in freedom and if you bear His name  
Sing the song forever to the Lamb  
We'll sing the song forever and amen

*And the angels cry Holy, All creation cries Holy  
You are lifted high Holy, Holy forever  
Hear Your people sing Holy, To the King of Kings Holy  
You will always be Holy, Holy forever*

### **Prayer of Dedication**

*Giving: Box at the back of the sanctuary, Online at [faithwilmington.com/giving](http://faithwilmington.com/giving),  
or Text "Give \$\_" to 844-697-1460*

*Children ages 4 through 3rd grade are dismissed to Junior Church*

### **Lord's Prayer**

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.  
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

### **Christ Is Risen**

**Mia Fieldes/Matt Maher**

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Let no one caught in sin remain inside the lie of inward shame  
But fix our eyes upon the cross and run to Him who showed great love  
And bled for us, freely You've bled for us

*Christ is risen from the dead, trampling over death by death  
Come awake, come awake, come and rise up from the grave  
Christ is risen from the dead, we are one with Him again  
Come awake, come awake, come and rise up from the grave*

Beneath the weight of all our sin, You bowed to none but heaven's will  
No scheme of hell, no scoffer's crown, no burden great can hold You down  
In strength You reign, forever let Your church proclaim

[Bridge]

O death, where is your sting? O hell, where is your victory?

O church, come stand in the light – The glory of God has defeated the night

Singing, O death, where is your sting? O hell, where is your victory?

O church come stand in the light – Our God is not dead, He's alive, He's alive!

**Scripture – Galatians 4:21-31**

**(pew Bible page 1154)**

**Sermon – Children of Promise**

**Rev. Kevin Koslowsky**

**Prayer**

**Hymn of Heaven**

**Bill Johnson/Brian Johnson/Phil Wickham**

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How I long to breathe the air of Heaven

Where pain is gone and mercy fills the streets

To look upon the one who bled to save me

And walk with Him for all eternity

*There will be a day when all will bow before Him*

*There will be a day when death will be no more*

*Standing face to face with He who died and rose again*

*Holy, holy is the Lord*

And ev'ry prayer we prayed in desperation

The songs of faith we sang through doubt and fear

In the end we'll see that it was worth it

When He returns to wipe away our tears

And on that day we join the resurrection

And stand beside the heroes of the faith

With one voice a thousand generations

Sing worthy is the Lamb who was slain – Forever He shall reign

So let it be today we shout the hymn of Heaven

With angels and the Saints we raise a mighty roar

Glory to our God who gave us life beyond the grave

Holy, holy is the Lord; holy, holy is the Lord; holy, holy is the Lord

## **Benediction – 1 John 3:1 (NIV)**

How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are!

### **Announcements**

*Please visit [Faithwilmington.com/calendar](http://Faithwilmington.com/calendar) for more details*

*Congrats Grads! – Max Barlow, Casey Dunham, Lindsay Dunham, Joel Dunham, Jady Elliott, Will Flenner, Ethan Hancock, David Koslowsky, Sydney Momot, Daniel Pszczolkowski (Hartzell), Caleb Rowles, & Charisma Wilke*

*Vacation Bible School – June 23-27, 9 am-12 pm. Contact Melissa Duggan to help.*

*For ages 4 years - 5<sup>th</sup> grade; register today: [www.bit.ly/vbs2025fpc](http://www.bit.ly/vbs2025fpc)*

*Youth Summer Bible Study – Mon., June 9; 6:30pm at the Birds' (7 Dansfield Dr.)*

*A Door of Hope Baby Bottle Benefit – donate: [www.bit.ly/Spring25BBB](http://www.bit.ly/Spring25BBB)*

*Visitation Day – Sun. June 15; 12:30pm. Meet in gathering space. [VicFend@aol.com](mailto:VicFend@aol.com)*

*Faith Preschool & Childcare is Hiring – Summer & Fall part-time positions available; candidates ages 16 and up; contact: [director@faithwilmington.com](mailto:director@faithwilmington.com)*